

year, abound in many varieties of fish, among which the salmon and speckled trout predominate. So clear are the waters that the objects on the bottom are distinctly visible at a depth of thirty or forty feet. Upon the eastern side of the lake is a vast cavern extending to an unknown distance into the heart of the mountain. The entrance is arched in a peculiar manner, and the place, which has never been explored, is believed by the Indians to be the abode of the evil spirits of the mountains.